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It is respectfully requested that applicant be advised of the status of the subject patent application.

A letter was mailed from the Patent and Trademark Office on February 9, 2006. To date applicant has not received an office action.

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